

Under the Paperwork Reduction Act of 1995, no persons are required to respond to a collection of information unless it contains a valid OMB control number.

Substitute for form 1448/PTO

**INFORMATION DISCLOSURE
STATEMENT BY APPLICANT**

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Complete if Known

Application Number	09/939,863
Filing Date	08/27/2001
First Named Inventor	Milbocker
Art Unit	3738
Examiner Name	Prebilic, Paul B.
Attorney Docket Number	Praxis-3 (PSD-108)

Sheet 1 of 2**U. S. PATENT DOCUMENTS**

Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Document Number Number-Kind Code ² (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
	1	US 6,296,607	10/02/2001	Milbocker, M T	
	2	US 6,524,327	02/25/2003	Spacek, Paul J.	
	3	US 6,702,731	03/09/2004	Milbocker, M T	
	4	US 2002/0049363 A1	04/25/2002	Milbocker, M T	
	5	US 2003/0135238 A1	07/17/2003	Milbocker, M T	
	6	US 2003/0188755 A1	10/09/2003	Milbocker, M T	
	7	US 2003/0194505 A1	10/16/2003	Milbocker, M T	
	8	US 2004/0068078 A1	04/08/2004	Milbocker, M T	
	9	US 3,054,406	09/18/1962	Usher, F C	
	10	US 3,124,136	03/10/1964	Usher, F C	
	11	US 3,272,204	09/13/1966	Atrandi et al	
	12	US 3,376,869	04/09/1968	Borysko, E	
	13	US 3,563,228	02/16/1971	Seiderman, M	
	14	US 4,049,592	09/20/1977	Marans et al	
	15	US 4,728,328	03/01/1988	Hughes et al	
	16	US 5,002,551	03/26/1991	Linsky et al	
	17	US 5,356,432	10/18/1994	Rutkow et al	
	18	US 5,755,658	05/26/1998	Wallace et al	
	19	US 5,785,642	07/28/1998	Wallace et al	

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document Country Code ³ Number ⁴ Kind Code ⁵ (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages Or Relevant Figures Appear	T ⁶

Examiner
SignatureDate
Considered

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.

O I P E J
AUG 11 2004
PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Not
Considered
PPH
9-13-04

Substitute for form 1449/PTO

(Use as many sheets as necessary)

Sheet 2

of 12

Application Number	09/939,863
Filing Date	08/27/2001
First Named Inventor	Milbocker, M
Art Unit	3738
Examiner Name	Prebilic, Paul B
Attorney Docket Number	Praxis-3 (PSD108)

[illegible][illegible]

**Examiner
Signature**

Date Considered

*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant. ¹ Applicant's unique citation designation number (optional). ² See Kinds Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at www.uspto.gov or MPEP 901.04. ³ Enter Office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). ⁴ For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. ⁵ Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. ⁶ Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language Translation is attached.

This collection of information is required by 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. The information is required to obtain or retain a benefit by the public which is to file (and by the USPTO to process) an application. Confidentiality is governed by 35 U.S.C. 122 and 37 CFR 1.14. This collection is estimated to take 2 hours to complete, including gathering, preparing, and submitting the completed application form to the USPTO. Time will vary depending upon the individual case. Any comments on the amount of time you require to complete this form and/or suggestions for reducing this burden, should be sent to the Chief Information Officer, U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450. DO NOT SEND FEES OR COMPLETED FORMS TO THIS ADDRESS. SEND TO: Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

If you need assistance in completing the form, call 1-800-PTO-9199 (1-800-786-9199) and select option 2.